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Title: **METHOD FOR SWITCHING DATA RECEIVED VIA A PACKET-ORIENTED DATA TRANSMISSION PATH**

**Enclosed are the following documents:**

International application as filed, drawings attached;

English Translation, translated drawings attached;

Annexes;

Executed Declaration;

Change of Address form for Applicants' Representative;

PTO 1390 in duplicate;

Amendment "A" prior to action with Appendix "A";

Information Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449, Search Report, 07 References;

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FORM PTO-1390 REV. 5-93 <b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  ATTORNEYS DOCKET NUMBER <b>P00,1957</b>
		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>09/744079</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/DE99/01946</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>01 JULY 1999</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>22 JULY 1998</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>METHOD FOR SWITCHING DATA RECEIVED VIA A PACKET-ORIENTED DATA TRANSMISSION PATH</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>KLAUS HÜNLICH ET AL.</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay.</p> <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) - drawings attached.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)</li> </ol> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2) - drawings attached).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</p> <p>Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:</p> <p>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98; (<b>PTO 1449, Prior Art, Search Report, 07 References</b>).</p> <p>12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included. <b>(SEE ATTACHED ENVELOPE)</b></p> <p>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment "A" Prior to Action with attached Appendix "A".</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> preliminary amendment.</p> <p>14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification and Mark-Up for Substitute Specification.</p> <p>15. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A change of address letter attached to the Declaration.</p> <p>16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information:       <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Request for Approval of Drawing Additions</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment of Associate Power of Attorney</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXPRESS MAIL #EL655302700US dated January 19, 2001.</li> </ol> </p>		

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17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:  <b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 C.F.R. 1.492(a)(1)-(5):</b> Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO ..... \$860.00  International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.482) .. \$690.00  No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)) ..... \$710.00  Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) nor international search fee (37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2) paid to USPTO ..... \$1000.00  International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4) ..... \$ 100.00		CALCULATIONS  \$ 860.00		
<b>ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</b>		PTO USE ONLY		
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)).		\$		
Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	07 - 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00	\$
Independent Claims	01 - 3 =	0	X \$ 80.00	\$
Multiple Dependent Claims			\$270.00 +	\$
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Reduction by $\frac{1}{2}$ for filing by small entity, if applicable. Verified Small Entity statement must also be filed. (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)				\$
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 C.F.R. 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 C.F.R. 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>				\$ 860.00
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a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <u>\$ 860.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed.				
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c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>50-1519</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.				
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